

Georgetown Field Will Be Scene of Gallaudet-C. U. Game Thanksgiving Day

C. U. AND GALLAUDET WILL PLAY BIG GAME ON HILLTOP GROUNDS

By LOUIS A. DOUGHER.

Catholic University and Gallaudet will play their Thanksgiving Day football game on Georgetown Field. When Graduate Manager Charles R. Cox made the announcement today that Georgetown had offered the use of its football field to Catholic University, a new leaf in Washington intercollegiate athletics had been turned over and many followers of sport in the District began to discuss the future possibilities of these two universities getting together in every branch of athletic endeavor.

In commenting on the decision of the Blue and Gray to allow C. U. and Gallaudet the use of the football field Thanksgiving, Graduate Manager Cox said: "It has always been the policy of Georgetown University to foster good, clean athletics. The university as a whole and the athletic board desire to help their neighboring schools in every way possible to build up their athletics and make Washington city and the public appreciate their athletic efforts, and with the above in view we are only too glad to let Catholic University and Gallaudet by giving them the use of our grounds for their annual Thanksgiving Day game."

"It was with great inconvenience that we gave our grounds twice a week to the high schools, but we believe that by so doing we have encouraged the youngsters of these schools to try for bigger things and prepare themselves for their advanced work in athletics when they enter their collegiate courses."

No more important move has been made in South Atlantic athletic circles in years, and many believe that the loss of the annual Virginia football game at Georgetown will be made up in the future by C. U.-G. U. battles, which will be all the more interesting through being strictly local.

Except in open track meets, Georgetown and Catholic University have not faced each other for eight or ten years. Before that the basketball game of both universities played. There came a rupture of athletic relations which has continued down to the present day. Many rumors have been running around that an era of good feeling was about to start, and that Georgetown and Catholic University might patch up their differences, but never was it believed that this decision would come so quickly.

Catholic University stands foremost among Eastern colleges on the diamond and annual games with the Hilltoppers would draw thousands of spectators to town. Though new in football, the Brooklanders are improving rapidly and the time may not be far distant when the Red and Black will be strong enough to measure swords with Georgetown on the gridiron. Catholic University's track team is promising for the coming season, and it is possible that the Brooklanders may have entries in the annual Georgetown track meet at Convention Hall.

One of the reasons for the coming peace between C. U. and Georgetown is the fact that Charles R. Cox, athletic director at Brookland, is a graduate of Georgetown. So are Jimmy Sullivan, track coach, and Fred Neilson, the football coach. With Georgetown graduates at C. U. working for harmony with the Blue and Gray, it was not so difficult as it might have been to bring about peace.

The acceptance by Catholic University of Georgetown's football gridiron for the Turkey Day game does not arrange games between the Red and Black and the Blue and Gray, but it does show a cordial spirit of friendship on both sides, and argues much for the future.

With Virginia refusing to listen to pleas for peace with Georgetown, the situation here is changed considerably by the evident drawing together of Georgetown and Catholic University. In the old days the George Washington-Georgetown contests were most thrilling because of this same natural rivalry. If C. U. and Georgetown do get together, followers of the Hilltoppers will hardly miss the Virginia games here.

The Jesuit colleges of the East—Georgetown, Fordham, Boston and Holy Cross—are about to enter into an agreement by which the one-year residence rule will be adopted. A meeting of the representatives of all four institutions will be held in New York within a few weeks and Charles R. Cox, graduate manager of Catholic University at the Hilltop, will speak for the Blue and Gray.

"Georgetown is highly in favor of the suggestion, which has come from Boston College," said Cox today. "We have never had the residence rule apply to other Jesuit colleges, although we enforce it when men come from any other university or college. But the spirit of the rule is excellent, and Georgetown will gladly enter into the agreement with Fordham, Boston and Holy Cross."

Edward J. Brandon, chairman of the Boston College graduate athletic board, has been empowered to confer with representatives of Fordham, Georgetown and Holy Cross.

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New Mascot

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 12.—Brutus, an English bulldog, is Yale's latest mascot. John W. McInturn, of Syosset, L. I., has presented him to Captain Wilson and during yesterday's practice Brutus amused himself chasing footballs in the bowl.

and Holy Cross looking to formulating regulations that will bring all four schools closer together, particularly doing away with the constant leaving of one college for another. Because the educational system is identical in all Jesuit institutions, students find it very easy to change colleges without injury to their studies. Those who are athletes are often induced to change with the hope of playing on stronger teams with schedules that please them better, or of joining their friends at another college.

For the most part, Boston College has been the heavy loser. In the last few years it has lost many of its best athletes before graduation, because they shifted to Holy Cross or Georgetown. In the present football season four football men who ordinarily would be playing with Boston are starting for Holy Cross and Georgetown.

It is expected that a big crowd will witness tomorrow's game at Georgetown between "Botchy" Barron's eleven and the North Carolina Aggies.

The law school contingent held a rousing rally last night, addresses being made by Coach A. A. Exendine, Graduate Manager R. Cox, Harry Kelly, president of the athletic association; John D. O'Reilly, physical director; Billy Butler, manager of the football team; President Scott and "Judge" Gould, of the senior class; President Watkins, of the junior class; Vice President Keiffer, of the freshman class; and John Mahlum, varsity left guard.

As usual, the law school will march to the field behind a band, and all enthusiasts are expected to get into the entire Georgetown side of the field will be filled by graduates and undergraduates.

All preparation for tomorrow's contest has been completed at Georgetown. Light signal practice will be held today to keep the varsity athletes in good shape.

Georgetown will line up tomorrow as follows: Cusack, left end; Ward, left tackle; Mahlum, left guard; Fitzgerald, center; Capt. "Botchy" Barron, right guard; O'Connor, right tackle; Corcoran, right end; Maloney, quarterback; Dilroy, left halfback; Wall, right halfback; Leighty, fullback.



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With Arthur Sinclair and Ike Taylor back in the line-up for the first time this year, the Vigilants held one of the most encouraging practices of the week at their headquarters late yesterday afternoon. These two linemen have stiffened the front rank to the desired extent and their presence is thought to boost Vigilant's chances in next Sunday's contest with the Edwin A. C. Burns, DeMar and Cranston, who have been out of the game with injuries, are in condition to work again and reported yesterday. Palmer Derby will put the boys through the hardest workout of the week tonight and tomorrow night the tapering off process will begin.

COACH RUSH KEEPS SAME TIGER ELEVEN

Gennert Will Be Ready to Hold Down Center Berth Against Yale Tomorrow.

PRINCETON, N. J., Nov. 12.—The final practice of the Tigers before they meet Yale consisted merely of signal drill and dummy scrimmage. After the varsity had rehearsed the plays which they will use at New Haven in secret, "Speedy" Rush took the squad down to Palmer's Stadium.

The scrubs tried to fool the first team in dummy scrimmages with a series of Yale plays and formations, but with no greater success than they have been able to show in regular scrimmages this week. Unless the Bulldogs uncover something which is not already known, the Tigers should not have a hard time in deciphering their plays.

Although a change in the Princeton line-up has been expected, it would seem from the final practice that the Tigers will enter the Yale bowl with the same team which played against Harvard.

There was only one change in the line-up. Butterworth playing in Gennert's place at center. However, Gennert is speedily recovering from his injured leg and it is likely that he will be in the line-up when the whistle blows.

Hong and Nease will play in the guard positions. Traiette and McLean will again play tackle, with Higley and Lamberton at ends.

While the backfield will remain as it has been all season, with Captain Glick at quarterback, and Tibbott, Briggs and Shea in the tandem, it is expected that Billy Moore will play much of the game. Both Moore and Dickerman have received a great deal of attention this week.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 12.—Instead of ordering the brief, brisk scrimmage practice they had planned for yesterday, the Yale football coaches sent the team through a long defensive drill.

They armed the ineligible with Princeton formations and walked them through the plays aimed leisurely at the varsity line. Occasionally the dummy plays were halted to allow the coaches to explain a formation. No more scrimmaging is planned till after the Princeton game.

Mal Scovill was again at fullback, but his injured thumb is still tender and chances favor starting Otis Guernsey in the position.

Although yesterday's line-up is probable against Princeton, Higginbotham may replace Church at left end and Haldane and Dickerson at left tackle. They are heavier men and have had more experience. Church and Gates have the advantage of familiarity with the line shift plays which Shevlin has taught the past ten days.

Navy Lacks Offensive To Suit the Coaches

ANNAPOLIS, Nov. 12.—Though in the last third of the season, the Naval Academy football team has not yet reached a point where its attack either along the line of straight football or the more modern game has yielded anything which inspires confidence in the hearts of its friends. It is believed that the line has stiffened considerably during the last ten days, but the offensive tactics have not developed correspondingly, and the coaches are still trying experiments in the backfield and endeavoring to find someone who can handle the ball on the forward pass with reasonable accuracy. On account of this lack, that style of play which has not proved a reliable part of the Navy's game in any contest this year.

Martin, the fourth class man who has done such good work this season, scoring over half of the touchdowns made by the team, has not been played this week, as he is not in perfect condition, but there is nothing serious the matter with him and he will probably be in the line-up against Colby Saturday for a portion of the time at least. He is by all odds the best man in the Navy backfield, and it is upon him almost entirely that dependence is being placed to carry the ball. Though weighing not over 160 pounds, and by no means rugged, he has shown real ability in groundgaining, and he keeps his eyes on the ball to good effect, having recovered fumbles or intercepted forward passes in several of the games this season.

After experimenting with Luth and Orr, the coaches seem to have fixed upon Craig as the man who will play quarterback if Captain Miles does not get into shape, and who will be his first understudy, at any rate. Craig has been on the squad for two years previous to the present, and did excellent work at halfback last season. He did not make a particularly good start this season, but seems to be improving, and he has developed fair experience as a passer. As a runner with the ball, his strong point last season, Craig has not done much this year, but it is hoped that he will get in the stride against Colby Saturday.

Von Heimburg, another fourth classman, is almost certain to start at fullback. He is not by any means a finished player, and carries the ball only fairly well. His punting is improving, his kicks being generally for good length, but he does not place the ball well. For the other place behind the line, Westphal, Davis, Vail, and Felling are the most serious contenders. Felling, a first-team man for three seasons, was passed by this year, as he was considered too slow. However, he has been used in practice this week, and many think that he is an improvement on those who have played behind the line this season.

Colby is expected to give the midshipmen a hard rub Saturday, even though it is not so strong as the team of last season, which was barely defeated by the Navy. The strong showing in recent years of Ursinus, which plays the final local game against the midshipmen, puts the Navy team in a difficult position. It has been the policy of the Navy team to save the regulars in the final home game, so that a game with a supposedly weak team is arranged.

THREE REGULARS TO FACE BROWN ELEVEN

Harte, Boles, and Taylor Expected to Play, All Others Waiting for Yale.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 12.—There was another light drill for the Harvard football team yesterday, although the season in the Stadium lasted until dark. The regular eleven was together for half an hour running through a lot of new plays, and then going into a soft scrimmage against the scrubs, which worked hard on the Brown plays, as taught them by the scouts.

The scrubs, however, played a strong game against the substitutes, and because of the presence of two of the regular men in the substitute line-up it looks more than ever as if Harvard would not send the first team against Brown on Saturday.

Of the regulars, Taylor played for a time at right guard beside Harris, while Boles was in the substitute backfield with Enwright and Rollins. This made the regular eleven men and two regulars, the rush line substitutes from left end being L. Curtis, R. Curtis, Duncan, Harris, Canner and Weatherhead, with Robinson at quarter.

The management here has ten tickets for the game at New Haven for the players, and unless a shift in the plans is made before Saturday morning Harte, Boles and Taylor will be the only varsity men to remain at Cambridge. Wallace has hurt his head again and probably could not play on Saturday anyway.

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